



Ukrainian Genealogy Group

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November Meeting

We were very fortunate to have Barbara Berry, a representative of 'Creative Memories', speak to our group. She brought an interesting display of the various products she is advertising from traditional scrapbooking to the latest digital formats.

She described and explained a number of options available to researchers interested in preserving their family history especially photographs and documents. It is now possible to write, format and display a 'storybook' from your home computer using products and services provided by Barbara Berry.

She is also available as a consultant regarding these and related projects. She may be contacted at:
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PolishOrigins™ Places Database

This site is of primary interest to researchers interested in their Polish roots. At this site, you can search for people whose forefathers came from the same villages, towns or cities as your ancestors. You can add your own surnames and places of interest, by registering for free or editing your profile, to let others find you and enrich your mutual experience.

<http://polishorigins.com/places/>

PolishRoots

Another site which may be of interest to researchers in the Polish-Ukrainian borderlands is *Polishroots*.

www.polishroots.org

PolishRoots covers all areas that were historically part of the Polish Commonwealth, from the 16th through the 18th centuries, throughout the years of partitions by Prussia, Russia and Austria, through its rebirth in 1918, subsequent domination during World War II and post-War occupation to recent history.

The site also promotes Polonia, areas of Polish presence throughout the world regardless of ethnicity, religion or political views.

Site Features

- FAQ: How do I begin?
- Geography and Maps
- History, Culture and Customs
- Immigration and Ships
- Reference: Resources by Ethnicity, Country, or Region
- Surnames: Connecting with other Researchers
- Gen Dobry! Archives of our e-zine

Carpatho-Rusyn DNA Project

The Carpatho-Rusyn Heritage DNA Project welcomes all researchers of Carpatho-Rusyn(C-R) heritage, a distinct group of people that live or once lived in portions of the Carpathian Mountain range. Their region is comprised of what is now South-Eastern Poland, Transcarpathia (Ukraine), Northwestern Slovakia and a small pocket in Vojvoidina. Their region, called Galicia, was ruled by the Austro-Hungarian Empire from 1772 until 1918.

Starting in 1880 many C-R people immigrated to the United States and Canada. Those in SE Poland {Lemkos} suffered various misfortunes. Some were sent to the Talerhof concentration camp during 1914-1917, and post WW-II most Lemkos in SE Poland were involuntarily relocated to Western Ukraine between 1944-1947 - the remaining Lemko population was forcibly removed between 1947-1948 and relocated to Western Poland during the Vistula Action.

Carpatho-Rusyns are sometimes known as Carpatho-Russian, Carpatho-Ukrainian, Rusnak, Ruthene, Ruthenian, Uhro-Rusyn--all relate to their traditional association with

the East Slavic world of the Rus'. In Poland they refer to themselves as Lemko/ Lemko Rusyn.

<http://www.familytreedna.com/group-join.aspx?code=W25191&Group=Carpatho-Rusyn>

Family Home Pages

The Teron Family Home Page

Terons of the World; The Ottawa family and Chris Teron's Home Page
A brief history of the Teron family from Bukovina who settled in Gardenton, Manitoba.

<http://www.teron.ca/family/chris.html>

Onyschuk Family Web Page

This web page has information on the background history of the Onyschuk Family, What's New, Newsletter, Family Pages and other relevant information.

<http://www.onyschuk.com/>

Maksymetz Family Web Page

The web page had the following sections: Home, News and Updates, About us, Photos, Guest Book and Contacts

<http://www.maksymetz.com/index.php>

The Andrew Kalyniuk Family

This page contains information on the Andrew Kalyniuk family and the Paul Kalyniuk family.

<http://www.russellmb.com/history/families/kalyniuk.htm>